

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**  
**(Large Entity)**

Docket No.  
NEC 01FN073

In Re Application Of: **SHIRAKAWA et al.**

Application No. **10/077,639** Filing Date

**10/077,639**

**February 15, 2002**

Examiner

**Patel, Gautam R.**

Customer No.

**27667**

Group Art Unit

**2627**

Confirmation No.

**5470**

Invention: **OPTICAL DISK DEVICE**

COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of November 13, 2006 in the above-identified application.  
*Date*

The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired):

☐ One month

☒ Two months

☐ Three months

☐ Four months

☐ Five months

from: February 13, 2007

*Date*

until: April 13, 2007

*Date*

The fee for the extension of time is **\$450** and is to be paid as follows:

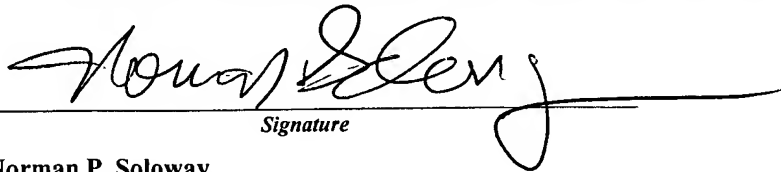
☐ A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed.

☐ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. **08-1391**

☐ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. **08-1391**

☒ Payment by credit card. Form PTO-2038 is attached.

**WARNING: Information on this form may become public. Credit card information should not be included on this form. Provide credit card information and authorization on PTO-2038.**

  
*Signature*

Dated: **March 23, 2007**

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